
By Mr. Benoit, petition of the Massachusetts Farm Bureau Federation, by Carleton I. Pickett, legislative agent, and Paul H. Benoit for legislation relative to the control of brucellosis in bovine animals imported into the Commonwealth. Agriculture.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixty.

AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE CONTROL OF BRUCELLOSIS IN BOVINE ANIMALS IMPORTED INTO THE COMMONWEALTH.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Chapter 129 of the General Laws is hereby
2 amended by striking out section 36D, as most recently
3 amended by section 3 of chapter 527 of the acts of 1956, and
4 inserting in place thereof the following section: —

5 *Section 36D.* No bovine animal shall be driven, shipped or
6 in any way transported into the Commonwealth from any
7 point outside thereof unless accompanied by a permit issued
8 by the director and, if such animal is intended for dairy or
9 breeding purposes, by a certificate of health issued in the state
10 of origin indicating said animal conforms to such requirements
11 as the director may, by reasonable orders, rules and regula-
12 tions, establish.

